

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

To provide a portable information terminal device, in which the target
5 information can be retrieved immediately although the operation of a
preparatory stage for displaying the desired information is simple, and a
telephone display method by this device. A display order deciding means (148)
decides the display order upon displaying a telephone directory on the basis of
setting if the telephone directory is displayed in the display order in response to
10 a usage frequency or in the alphabetical order by a learning function setting
means (142), the information about the number of callings stored in a count
storing means (145), setting of the display mode of the telephone directory (by a
day of the week) by a display mode selecting means (146), and the information
of a day of the week that is recognized by a day recognizing means (147), and
15 manages it in a display order managing unit (17). Upon displaying the
telephone directory, an information display means (149) displays the
information that is managed by the display order managing unit (17).